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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An image forming apparatus includes a first image bearing member for bearing a toner image; a second image bearing member for bearing the toner image; a transfer member opposed to said first image bearing member with said second image bearing member therebetween, wherein a voltage is applied to said transfer member to transfer the toner image from said first image bearing member on the second image bearing member, and wherein a resistance  $R_t$  of said transfer member and a resistance  $R_b$  of said second image bearing member satisfy  $R_t/R_b \geq 1.0$ .

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